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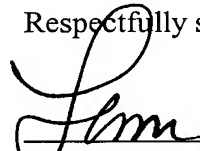
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**REMARKS**

Applicants have undertaken to cancel claims 1-30. Claims 1-25 have been allowed in U.S. application serial number 09/939,300. New claims 32-41 have been added that are directed to food formulations containing a Simmondsins extract obtained by the process allowed in U.S. application serial number 09/939,300. Accordingly, claims 31-41 are pending in the application.

A claim for priority to the 09/939,300 application has been added to the specification.  
Entry hereof and examination on the merits are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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